

**§ 514. Determination of quality of paper**

The Joint Committee on Printing shall determine differences of opinion between the Public Printer and a contractor for paper respecting the paper's quality; and the decision of the Committee is final as to the United States.

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## HISTORICAL AND REVISION NOTES

Based on 44 U.S. Code, 1964 ed., § 10 (Jan. 12, 1895, ch. 23, § 8, 28 Stat. 602; Mar. 3, 1917, ch. 163, § 6, 39 Stat. 1121).

## SECTION REFERRED TO IN OTHER SECTIONS

This section is referred to in sections 515, 1121 of this title; title 22 section 3714b.

**§ 515. Default of contractor; new contracts and purchase in open market**

If a contractor fails to comply with his contract, the Public Printer shall report the default to the Joint Committee on Printing, and under its direction, enter into a new contract with the lowest, best, and most responsible bidder for the interest of the Government among those whose proposals were rejected at the last opening of bids, or he shall advertise for new proposals, under the regulations provided by sections 509-517 of this title. During the interval that may thus occur he may, under the direction of the Joint Committee on Printing, purchase in open market, at the lowest market price, paper necessary for the public printing.

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## HISTORICAL AND REVISION NOTES

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## SECTION REFERRED TO IN OTHER SECTIONS

This section is referred to in section 1121 of this title; title 22 section 3714b.

**§ 516. Liability of defaulting contractor**

Upon failure to furnish paper, a contractor and his sureties shall be responsible for any increase of cost to the Government in procuring a supply of the paper consequent upon his default. The Public Printer shall report every default, with a full statement of all the facts in the case, to the General Counsel for the Department of the Treasury, who shall prosecute the defaulting contractor and his sureties upon their bond in the district court of the United States in the district in which the defaulting contractor resides.

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## HISTORICAL AND REVISION NOTES

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## SECTION REFERRED TO IN OTHER SECTIONS

This section is referred to in sections 515, 1121 of this title; title 22 section 3714b.

**§ 517. Purchase of paper in open market**

The Joint Committee on Printing may authorize the Public Printer to purchase paper in open market when they consider the quantity re-

quired so small or the want so immediate as not to justify advertisement for proposals.

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## HISTORICAL AND REVISION NOTES

Based on 44 U.S. Code, 1964 ed., § 13 (Jan. 12, 1895, ch. 23, § 11, 28 Stat. 602; Mar. 3, 1917, ch. 163, § 6, 39 Stat. 1121).

## SECTION REFERRED TO IN OTHER SECTIONS

This section is referred to in section 515 of this title; title 22 section 3714b.

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